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Date: October 20, 2003By Lisa Mansur

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Paul V. Cooper                      Docket No.: 23438.00023  
Application No.: 09/649,190                      Group Art Unit: 1742 ✓  
Filing Date: August 28, 2000                      Examiner: Scott R. Kastler  
TITLE: SCRAP MELTER AND IMPELLER THEREFORE

## TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Herewith is a response in the above-identified application to the Office Action mailed on April 18, 2003. Applicant hereby petitions, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, that the shortened statutory response period be extended for three (3) months until October 18, 2003.

[ x ] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27.

## FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra				Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims		minus		=	0	x	\$ 18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims		minus		=	0	x	\$ 86.00		\$0.00
							Subtotal:		\$0.00

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Fee Calculation: Request for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within first month after due date – add	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within second month after due date – add	\$ 420.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within third month after due date – add	\$ 950.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within fourth month after due date – add	\$1480.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within fifth month after due date – add	\$2010.00
Subtotal:		\$950.00

If one of the “small entity” boxes above is checked, enter half (1/2) of the second subtotal and subtract. \$475.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE ENCLOSED: \$475.00


☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3878 in the amount of \$475.00. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.**

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Respectfully submitted,

October 20, 2003  
Date

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